

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as shown below. The claims, as pending in the subject application, now read as follows:

1. to 36. (Canceled)

37. (Currently Amended) A printer comprising:

a receiving unit for receiving an electronic mail including a setting file for setting a format, a plurality of print files, and a message body that includes information to designate the setting file and information to designate the plurality of print files; ~~and~~

a formatting unit for formatting the plurality of print files in the format set by the setting file; and

a printing unit for printing the plurality of print files, designated by the information to designate the setting file, in the format set by the setting file.

38. (Cancelled)

39. (Currently Amended) A printer according to Claim 37, wherein the setting file designates the plurality of print file files to be printed by a name of the plurality of print file files.

40. (Currently Amended) A printer according to Claim 37, wherein the setting file designates the plurality of print file files to be printed by an order of the plurality of print file files.

41. (Currently Amended) A printer according to Claim 37, wherein the setting file includes a style sheet and the plurality of print file files includes HTML data.

42. (Currently Amended) A printer comprising:

a receiving unit for receiving an electronic mail including a plurality of files and a message body that includes information to set a format and information to designate the plurality of print files; **and**

a formatting unit for formatting the plurality of print files in the format set by the information to set the format; and

a printing unit for printing the plurality of print files, designated by the information to designate the plurality of print files, in the format set by the information to set the format.

43. (Currently Amended) A printing method comprising:

a receiving step for receiving an electronic mail including a setting file for setting a format, a plurality of print files, and a message body that includes information to designate the setting file and information to designate the plurality of print files; **and**

a formatting step for formatting the plurality of print files in the format set by the setting file; and

a printing step for printing the plurality of print files, designated by the information to designate the setting file, in the format set by the setting file.

44. (Cancelled)

45. (Currently Amended) A printing method according to Claim 43, wherein the setting file designates the plurality of print ~~file~~ files to be printed by a name of the plurality of print ~~file~~ files.

46. (Currently Amended) A printing method according to Claim 43, wherein the setting file designates the plurality of print ~~file~~ files to be printed by an order of the plurality of print ~~file~~ files.

47. (Currently Amended) A printing method according to Claim 43, wherein the setting file includes a style sheet and the plurality of print ~~file~~ files includes HTML data.

48. (Currently Amended) A printing method comprising:  
a receiving step of receiving an electronic mail including a plurality of print files, and a message body that includes information to set a format and information to designate the plurality of print files; ~~and~~  
a formatting step for formatting the plurality of print files in the format set by the information to set the format; and

a printing step of printing the plurality of print files, designated by the information to designate the plurality of print files, in the format set by the information to set the format.

49. (Currently Amended) A computer program embodied on a computer-readable medium, the computer program comprising:

a receiving step of receiving an electronic mail including a setting file for setting a format, a plurality of print files, and a message body that includes information to designate the setting file and information to designate the plurality of print files; ~~and~~

a formatting step for formatting the plurality of print files in the format set by the setting file; and

a printing step of printing the plurality of print files, designated by the information to designate the setting file, in the format set by the setting file.

50. (Cancelled)

51. (Currently Amended) A computer program according to Claim 49, wherein the setting file designates the plurality of print file files to be printed by a name of the plurality of print file files.

52. (Currently Amended) A computer program according to Claim 49, wherein the setting file designates the plurality of print file files to be printed by an order of the plurality of print file files.

53. (Currently Amended) A computer program according to Claim 49, wherein the setting file includes a style sheet and the plurality of print file files includes HTML data.

54. (Currently Amended) A computer program stored on a computer-readable medium, the computer program comprising:

a receiving step of receiving an electronic mail including a plurality of print files and a message body that includes information to set a format and information to designate the plurality of print files; and

a formatting step for formatting the plurality of print files in the format set by the information to set the format; and

a printing step of printing the plurality of print files, designated by the information to designate the plurality of print files, in the format set by the information to set the format.